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Ms. Catherine A. McCord
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Region V - 5HR-12
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Dear Ms. McCord:

K-65 REMOVAL ACTION ADVISORY COMMITTEE

The K-65 Removal Action Advisory Committee was formed to evaluate the K-65 Removal Action and associated activities with the intention of accelerating the completion date of the installation of bentonite. It is our opinion, through discussions in several meetings in Chicago, that the schedule as it exists today represents the most aggressive and technically sound succession of activities achievable.

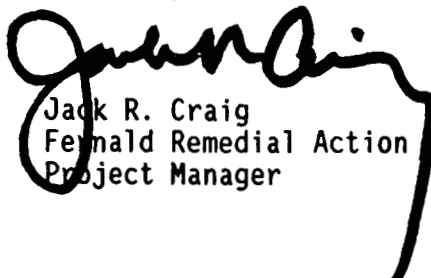
Therefore, DOE is proposing that the committee meet on a less frequent basis, possibly every two months. In the event of a potential or inevitable schedule slippage, the committee could convene.

In an effort to provide the current progress in the K-65 area the Fernald Site Office will provide a status report with updated schedule to you, as well as Ohio EPA on a weekly basis.

Our recommendation has been discussed with both DOE/HQ and Ohio EPA and we are all in agreement that this approach would provide the required information exchange.

Please contact Randi Allen at FTS 774-6158 to discuss our proposal further.

Sincerely,


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